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Dear Sir:

Transmitted for filing with the Patent and Trademark Office are the following documents for the above-referenced patent application:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (2 pgs.);
- 2. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (1 pg.);
- 3. Eight Sheets of Formal Drawings (8 pgs.);
- 4. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.);



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- 5. Form PTO-1449 (3 pgs.);
- 6. Prior Art References A1-A25 (25 documents); and
- 7. Postcard Acknowledgment.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE FILE TO CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS FILING DATE GRANTED

This is a response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted mailed on August 31, 2001.

Enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted. Also enclosed are eight (8) sheets of substitute drawings which now comply with the margin requirements of the U.S. Patent Office with respect to 37 C.F.R. § 1.84. Each page of the enclosed sheets of drawings is labeled on the reverse side with the application number, group number, the filing date, the first named inventor, the title of the application, the docket number and for contact purposes, the name and telephone number of a patent attorney.

It is believed that no fees are due in connection with this matter, however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or to credit any overpayment in connection herewith to deposit account number 10-0447 of Jenkens & Gilchrist, P.C.

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